

OFFICIAL DISPATCH

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DISPATCH NO. XGQ-W-4834

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DATE: 1 May 1952

TO : Chief of Station, Frankfurt

FROM : Chief, IT

Attention: C

SUBJECT: GENERAL: Operational

SPECIFIC: Walter SCHELLENBERG

Reference: MOLA-106443

1. Reference contains the only report available here which indicates that Walter SCHELLENBERG is in Italy. There are no detailed reports here on SCHELLENBERG's activities since he was released from prison, apparently in 1950, (HEID 2033 of 26 June 1950), although in 1951 he was undoubtedly residing in Spain (WASH 42043 of 16 May 1951 and MOLA-7527 of 30 June 1951). At present, SCHELLENBERG is not of operational interest to BYCLEAN, and no efforts are being made to keep track of his current movements. The Italian desk, naturally, would be interested in obtaining any further information on his activities in Italy which might come to the attention of ZIPPER, but this interest was not considered of sufficient importance to warrant sending V-13910 to Italy for the specific purpose of contacting SCHELLENBERG.

2. If ZIPPER believes that contact with SCHELLENBERG would be of value, they will probably establish it sooner or later. If they feel that V-13910 should travel to Italy to make this contact, we are not in a position to offer valid objections, as we know little about the current activities of SCHELLENBERG and V-13910. We hope, however, that ZIPPER will keep us advised of any progress made in developing this connection, and of any reports which they may have on SCHELLENBERG's current activities. Does SCHELLENBERG know that V-13910 is associated with ZIPPER?

RELEASING OFFICER

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